

GREAT ARMADA LEAVES MONDAY

Mighty Vessel Of War Of Uncle Sam's Fleet
Sail For The Pacific December 16.

ADMIRAL EVANSIN CHIEF COMMAND

Largest And Most Complete Fleet Ever Sent Out For
Fun, Frolic Or Fight By Uncle Sam Since
He Came Of Age.

- A FEW FACTS AND FIGURES
- First Squadron—Battleships Connecticut, Louisiana, Kansas, Vermont, Georgia, Virginia, New Jersey and Rhode Island.
 - Second Squadron—Minnesota, Ohio, Maine, Missouri, Alabama, Illinois, Kentucky and Kentucky.
 - Total Tonnage—225,850.
 - Number of Big Guns—Three hundred and fifty-six.
 - Cost of Ships—\$54,070,000.
 - Total Officers and Men—Twenty-five thousand.
 - Point of Departure—Hampton Roads, Va.
 - Destination—San Francisco, Calif.
 - Time of Departure—Ten o'clock, Monday morning.
 - Distance of Cruise—Fourteen thousand miles.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Norfolk, Va., Dec. 14.—On the water of the famous Hampton Roads where nearly half a century ago the Monitor and the Merrimack met in memorable conflict there rests at anchor today the mightiest fleet of American battleships the history of the nation has ever known. Anchored in the broad channel-way, within easy view of the shore are sixteen mighty fortresses of the sea, wide-hulled, squat and heavy—the backbone of the American navy.

The battleships, which have assembled here preparatory to departing Monday morning on the 14,000-mile cruise to the Pacific coast are the Connecticut, Louisiana, Kansas, Vermont, Georgia, Virginia, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Minnesota, Ohio, Maine, Missouri, Alabama, Illinois, Kentucky and Kentucky.

Today the vessels of the fleet are "dressed" in the "military" flags of the nation, and the brilliant hues of pennants and bits of bunting which form the International Signal code. From the peak of the 10,000-ton battleship Connecticut flies the flag of Rear Admiral Evans, commander-in-chief of the mighty fleet.

The departure of the fleet will be witnessed by the President, the secretary of the navy and numerous officers of the navy from Washington, Philadelphia, New York, Newport, New and other points. The Mayflower, flying the President's flag, will reach here about, eight o'clock Monday morning. Accompanying the President will be Mrs. Roosevelt, Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. McCall, Assistant Secretary and Mrs. Brownberry, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Brownson and Rear Admiral and Mrs. Cowles. The arrival of the Mayflower will be greeted with the usual regulation salutes from the fleet.

BARRY LINE BOAT DRIVEN TO SHELTER

Severe Weather on Lake Causes Boat
to Seek Refuge Harbor
for Safety.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Racine, Wis., Dec. 14.—The Barry line steamer Wisconsin is in port here suffering from the storm. She arrived here last night at eleven o'clock and did not venture out after unloading. At seven o'clock she broke seven hawsers and was compelled to go up the harbor for shelter. The waves lifted her so high she was caught on a cluster of piles and a portion of the boat was torn off.

WAS NOT GUILTY OF OFFERING ANY BRIBE

Former Supervisor Found Not Guilty of
Complaint Made
Against Him.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 14.—A verdict of not guilty was brought by the jury in the case of Henry Cantelmo, saloon-keeper, on the charge of offering a bribe to Ernest Weismann in May, 1906, when supervisor from the town of Milwaukee.

BARK ASHORE; MANY THOUGHT DROWNED

Sandy Hook the Scene of Several
Wrecks—Many May Be Drowned
—Two Boats Ashore.
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Dec. 14.—The bark Edmund Phinney was driven ashore on the east side of Sandy Hook in the heavy snowstorm this morning and the life-saving crew went to the assistance of its crew. The foremost of the Phinney has been carried away and a number of men can be seen in a group near the stern of the vessel. The life-savers are again endeavoring to get the live from the vessel. It is reported another vessel is ashore near Sandy Hook.

MASONS DECORATE WASHINGTON'S TOMB

Representative of Fredericksburg
Lodge Visited Mt. Vernon With
a Wreath Today.
[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 14.—In accordance with a custom inaugurated many years ago, a representative of the Masonic Lodge at Fredericksburg visited Mt. Vernon today and placed a wreath on the tomb of Washington, in commemoration of the anniversary of the death of the first President. It was in the Fredericksburg lodge that General Washington was made a Mason, and the old record books of the lodge containing the minutes of the meeting at which Washington received his degrees are still preserved by the lodge, as are a number of other relics of Washington as a Mason.

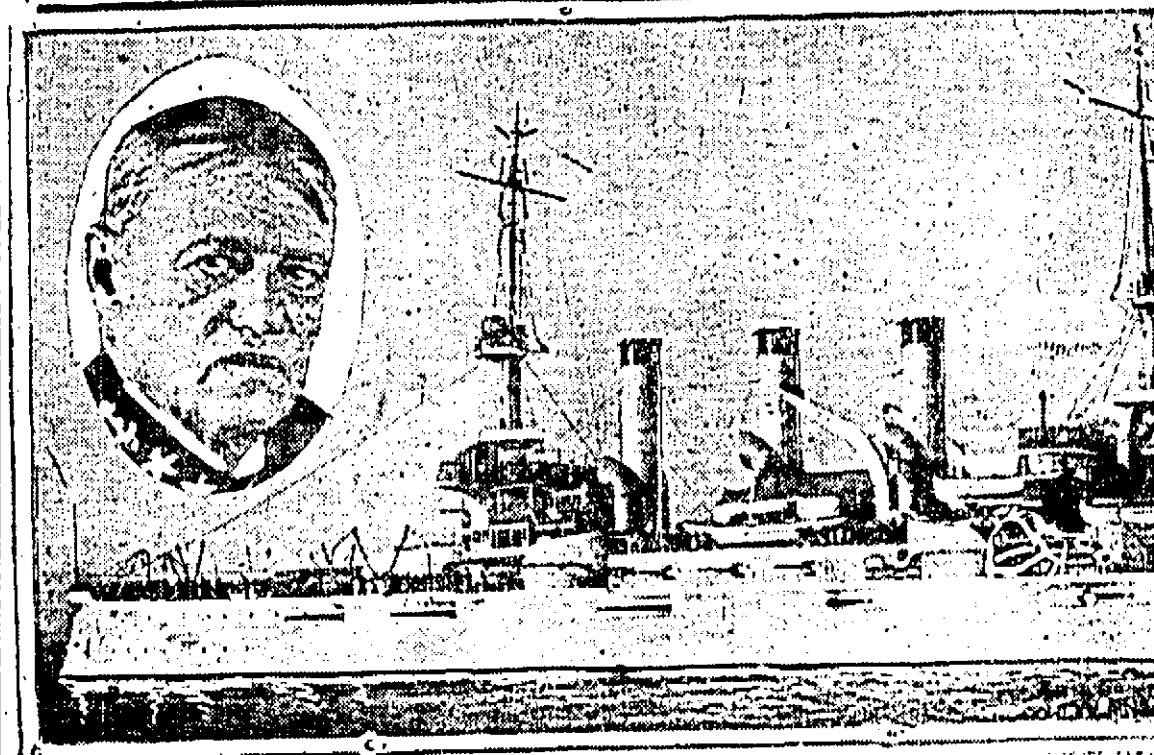


A GROUP OF OFFICERS READY FOR THE PACIFIC CRUISE.
In the upper left hand corner is Lieut. Charles R. Train, flag lieutenant for the cruise. In the center is Surgeon Lloyd Curtis, chief surgeon of the fleet. At the top and right is Henry A. Dent, paymaster of the fleet. In the lower left hand corner is Lieut. H. L. Cook, commander of the torpedo boat flotilla, which accompanies the fleet. In the lower right hand corner is Rear Admiral William Emery, commander of the second squadron.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—Next Monday one of the greatest American fleets of battleships ever joined in a single squadron will sail from Hampton Roads bound for the Pacific. The fleet will comprise six torpedo boat destroyers and 16 great battleships of the Atlantic fleet. To man the vessels will require 14,338 officers and men. Under the direction of the world's first naval experts of the world, the fleet will negotiate a journey of more than 14,000 miles.

This is the most powerful fleet ever gathered under the American flag. More than this the squadron embraces more battleships of modern type than war before gathered together under the direction of one naval officer, and the only officer in the world whose line pennant floats over a more numerous fleet of all kinds of warships is Lord Charles Hay, of Great Britain. When the vessels start Monday the spectacle will be one of the most inspiring sights in the history of the American navy. Reviewed by the president of the United States and the secretary of the navy the combination of vessels will be awe inspiring in the extreme. Aside from the flotilla of torpedo boat destroyers the 16 battleships which will turn their noses toward the southern cape are as follows:

- First squadron—Rear Admiral Robert D. Evans, commander-in-chief.
Connecticut (flagship), 16,000 tons, 21 guns, 881 officers and men. Captain Hugo Osterhaus.
Louisiana, 16,000 tons, 21 guns, 881 officers and men. Captain Richard Walworth.
Kansas, 16,000 tons, 21 guns, 860 officers and men. Captain Charles E. Vreeland.
Vermont, 16,000 tons, 21 guns, 881 officers and men. Captain W. P. Potter.
Second division—Rear Admiral William H. Emery, commander.
Georgia (flagship), 14,948 tons, 21 guns, 812 officers and men. Captain Henry McCrea.
Virginia, 14,948 tons, 812 officers and men. Captain Seaton Schroeder.
New Jersey, 14,948 tons, 24 guns, 812 officers and men. Captain W. H. H. Butherford.
Rhode Island, 14,948 tons, 21 guns, 812 officers and men. Captain J. B. Murdock.
Second squadron, third division—Rear Admiral C. M. Thomas, commander.
Minnesota (flagship), 16,000 tons, 21 guns, 881 officers and men. Captain John Hubbard.
Ohio, 12,000 tons, 20 guns, 800 officers and men. Captain Charles W. Barrett.
Maine, 12,000 tons, 20 guns, 812 officers and men. Captain G. A. Morrison.
Fourth division—Rear Admiral C. S. Perry, commander.
Alabama (flagship), 11,525 tons, 18 guns, 812 officers and men. Captain



COMMANDER EVANS' FLAGSHIP, THE CONNECTICUT. (Photo by Muller.)
Admiral Evans, commander-in-chief and head of the first squadron of the fleet, at the left. Admiral C. M. Thomas, commander of the second squadron, at the right.

FORECAST OF THE WORLD EVENTS OF COMING WEEK

No American Among The Prelates To Be
Elevated To Cardinalate--Harriman-Fish
Fight To Be Resumed--Sailing
Of The Fleet.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—Little business of importance is expected from Congress during the coming week or, for that matter, until after the holiday recess.
Secretary of War Taft will again be at his desk after an absence of several months spent in his journey to the Philippines and return. His return will doubtless bring out a new crop of political stories and rumors in regard to his candidacy for the presidential nomination.
The fleet of sixteen American battleships will leave Hampton Roads Monday morning bound on the 14,000-mile journey around Cape Horn to San Francisco. The departure will be witnessed by President Roosevelt and an official party aboard the Mayflower.
Announcement is made from Rome that a secret consistory will be held Monday, followed by the usual public consistory three days later. Several prelatures will be elevated in the consistory, but no American will be among the favored ones.
The second trial of Maximilian

TAFT TO TELL WHAT IS WRONG WITH ARMY

Busy Days Ahead For Secretary of
War Taft Who Resumes Duties
at His Desk on Monday.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—Secretary Taft expects to be at his desk next Monday, following an absence of several months occupied by his journey around the world. Considerable business has accumulated at the War Department during his absence and he will necessarily be one of the busiest men in Washington during the next few weeks. The story has gained currency that there is "something the matter with the army," and Secretary Taft will be expected to tell Congress what is the trouble. Many senators and representatives have the old-fashioned idea that the Secretary of War should have such an intimate knowledge of the service as to be able to point out unerringly, in the confidence of the committee room at least, the cause of any peculiar conditions within it. As the present conditions in the army have resulted in developments that interest the whole country, Secretary Taft will have to look up rapidly. During his absence the outflow of soldiers has become acute and the inability to secure sufficient recruits pronounced, while the squabble over the pay bill has occasioned strained relations. There is much for Secretary Taft to do and, when he sees the program events have prepared for him, he may wish he had cut out his European journey altogether.

CASE PLOW WORKS OPENS ON MONDAY

Closed Four Weeks Ago but Now Will
Reopen for Work on Monday
Next.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Racine, Wis., Dec. 14.—An evidence that the financial situation here is improving the Case Plow company will start up again Monday morning, employing four hundred men and work ten hours a day. The plant has been closed for four weeks. The Mitchell-Lewis Wagon company will start its plant later, employing twelve hundred men.

On Trip to Koshkonong: Roy Pierpont, Louis Slavison, Harry Nowlin, and Charles Tallman started in an automobile for the Koshkonong club at Lake Koshkonong this afternoon. They took with them a large pair of mittens which will be used in fishing through the ice.

ROCHESTER BISHOP IN HIS 85TH YEAR

Rt. Rev. Bernard J. McQuaid Has
Headed Roman Catholic Diocese
For Nearly Forty Years.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Rochester, N. Y., Dec. 14.—Rt. Rev. Bernard J. McQuaid, for nearly forty years bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Rochester, will enter upon his forty years tomorrow. Born in New York, December 15, 1823, received his education in Montreal and at Farnham College. He was ordained a priest sixty years ago next January, and his first pastorate was in New Jersey. He founded St. John's College in that state and, for a time, was rector of Newark Cathedral. In 1868 he became the first Roman Catholic bishop of Rochester. During his long career in this city the diocese has become one of the first importance and he has taken an active interest in the educational institutions and all other matters relating to the church.

ISSUES ORDERS FOR THE POSTMASTERS

Postmaster General Meyer Says That
Santa Claus Letters Shall
Be Delivered.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—Postmaster General Meyer today issued an order to all the postmasters to let the people of their cities know through the newspapers that all mail addressed to "Santa Claus" will be delivered to any responsible parties who will undertake to act as Santa Claus agents in distributing the contents of the letters to poor children.

BODY OF SUICIDE FOUND AT CLINTON

In an old abandoned tobacco shed
in the neighborhood of Clinton today
the body of a Norwegian named
Anderson was found hanging from a
rope attached to the rafters. Appa-
rently he had been there several days.

Engineer A. G. Willkerson of the St. Paul road will address the Men's Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow afternoon. All men are cordially invited to be present.

R. B. & J. EARNINGS INCREASED \$12,000 IN BADGER STATE

During Year 1907 as Compared with Record of 1906—Gross Earnings in Rock County Were \$89,874.31.

According to the report just submitted by President R. N. Hayles to City Treasurer Father, in compliance with the requirements of law, the Rockford, Beloit & Janesville Interurban Ry. Co. increased its gross earnings in Wisconsin during the year ending Nov. 30, 1907, by \$11,968.79, as compared with the record of the previous year. In 1906 the road collected \$77,905.52 in its Badger State territory and paid license fees amounting to \$1,447.63, divided as follows: Beloit city, \$391.66; Beloit township, \$271.06; Rock township, \$384.91; Janesville city, \$425.50. The gross receipts in Rock county this year were \$89,874.31 and the license fee of 2 1/2 per cent, which amounts to \$1,746.85, will be apportioned as follows: Beloit city, \$472.81; Beloit town, \$327.81; town of Rock, \$432.01; city of Janesville, \$513.52. The division of the fee is made on the basis of the number of feet of track after the close. There are 70,047 feet of track in Rock county—11,127 from the state line to the city limits of Beloit; 23,154 from the southern limits of Beloit to Rock township; 30,576 from the Rock township line to the city of Janesville; and 12,990 feet within the corporation limits of the Lower City.

LAST OF THE TRIO PAYS A \$10 FINE

August Drafiel, who was implicated with Miller and Bauer in assault of Sept. 8, in Court Today.

August Drafiel appeared in municipal court this morning to answer to the charge of participating with William Miller and Joe Bauer in the assault on a trio of Beloit workmen near the North River street viaduct on the night of September 8. It was recognized from the outset that the conduct of Drafiel, while he was intoxicated and took a hand in the fracas, was less reprehensible than that of the other two and that he made no attempt to rob. After Miller or Bauer guilty like a man and went to prison for fifteen months, Drafiel was held as a witness against Miller, the ringleader, who fought the case in circuit court but was found guilty and committed to the Green Bay reformatory for one year on Nov. 22. All of the officers were persuaded that it was a case of bad company with Drafiel, as he had never been in any kind of trouble before, and they recommended lenient treatment on account of his prompt confession and their conviction that the lesson had been sufficiently convincing one for him. Judge Pihl this morning imposed a fine of \$10 and costs, which the defendant paid.

CHRISTMAS DINNER AT CITY MISSION

City Missionary Mary Kimball Will Feast Little Ones on Approaching Holiday.

At 2 p. m. on the afternoon of Christmas day City Missionary Mary Kimball will serve Christmas dinner for the poor children of Janesville. Thanking the many friends who in the past have helped in this work, Kimball asks those who are able to again help her in making Christmas a happy day for those who even in their childhood have been deprived of many of life's blessings.

It is requested that those who have more than enough should cook a little extra and leave it at the mission, 100 South Jackson street. Those having discarded toys or books about the house are asked to bring those also as after the dinner presents will be distributed to the children.

Merchants are requested to send tea, coffee, fruit, vegetables or anything good to eat. Warm clothing, especially underclothing, will be particularly appreciated.

O. F. Brown of Madison was in the city yesterday.

NEW WRESTLING GIANT.

Zbysoo, the Galician, a Mountain of Physical Strength.

If Joe Rogers, the American wrestler whom Tom O'Rourke is now exploiting abroad, gets up his nerve to meet Zbysoo, the Galician giant, in a bout at the tournament which is planned in England for Rogers, Zbysoo and P. Doubay, a Russian wrestler, he will find his hands full of a man who is bigger than Hackschmidt and who has proved himself a wonder at the Greco-Roman game.

Zbysoo has a chest that measures 55 inches; his waist is 41 1/2 inches, his neck 23 1/2 inches, his thigh 20 1/2 inches, his calf 10 inches, and his biceps are

ZBYSOO EXERCISING DANGEROUS FAULT.

said to be the largest in the sporting world. No standard size of shirt and collar will fit him. They have to be specially made.

He is twenty-five years of age and a graduate of Vienna university, where he took high honors as a mathematician. He is unmarried, a nonsmoker and an abstemious. He has a brother fifteen years of age who is his equal in physique. His father is also a giant in stature.

Zbysoo is now meeting all comers at the London Pavilion. His great bulk has been too much for all who have tackled him to date. He went to London with a considerable reputation, for besides winning the international tournament at Paris last year he has defeated the giant Turk Nouroullah, John Pahl, Alex. Abert, George Larch, Bech Olsen, Angelo D'Ambrayolo, Omer de Bouillon and Madril.

It was through his defeat of the latter that Hackschmidt jumped into fame.

Want ads. bring results.

Saves Daughter's Assault.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 12.—With her young daughter in a precarious condition as the result of an assault by Fritz Todeason, Mrs. John Frydson Wednesday begged enraged citizens not to carry out threats of lynching Todeason, who was captured and placed in the jail at Neillsville.

G. W. Townsend of Kansas Dies.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 12.—George W. Townsend, Sr., aged 60, for half a century prominent in political and business affairs of northwestern Kansas, died Wednesday. For many years he was in business at Troy, Kan.

Buy It in Janesville.

Christmas Beauty.

HOME MADE HOLLY AND GROUND PINE WREATHS.

Heavy and well filled. Light and heavy festooning for decorations. A nice line of pot plants for Christmas. Arzelen, Cyclamen, Hyacinths, Christmas Poppies, also nice line of Ferns, Draconas and Decorating Plants. Early orders should be placed.

JANESVILLE FLORAL CO.
214 So. Main St.
Both phones.

JANESVILLE'S NEEDS ARE WELL DESCRIBED

Interesting Talk on the New Park and Pleasure Drive Association Just Formed.

A few years ago, public spirited citizens of Madison set about improving the appearance of their city. They secured the passage of a law authorizing the incorporation of associations to create and maintain parks, drives and boulevards, to hold the same in trust for the city, to which they pertained, to receive gifts and grants therefor, and to enable such citizens to take, hold, and manage property for parks, drives, and boulevards. The first association organized under this law was that of Madison and its success has been phenomenal. That city now has many miles of beautiful parks, ornamented with flowering shrubbery and several attractive parks. Not a few citizens the progress made in Madison, and for a long time have cherished a desire to accomplish the same sort of beneficial results for their city. An association for this city under the same law as that under which the Madison association has been operating. The purpose of the association is to secure parcels of the city owned by Madison, as seems likely to be done, many places that are now unsightly, not to say unhealthy, will be made over into beautiful spots. The movement has received a great impetus at the beginning by the offer of Mr. Jeffery to donate land at the bend of the river between Jackson Street and the Beloit Road. This ground is well located for a public park, and its conversion from place of wet, useless land into a place of recreation for the public, if nothing else is ever done, will be well worth all the effort that has so far been expended in the organization of this association.

The association is an accomplished fact. Its directors are well known citizens. For the information of those who may not have kept fully advised of the proceedings, we give the names of the officers and directors as follows:

President—Dr. Corydon G. Dwight; Vice President—Thomas S. Nolan; Secretary—Samuel M. Smith; Treasurer—Frank H. Jackson; Directors—John M. Whitehead, George S. Parker, Edward B. Haddies, Allen P. Loveloy, Dr. Corydon G. Dwight, Malcolm G. Mount, Harry H. Miles, John J. Sheridan, Samuel M. Smith.

The next step is to be taken by the association is to procure contributing members. This association can not run itself. It must have financial support and, if any citizen doubts the practicability of the scheme he should visit Madison and inspect the work of the Madison association. If he can not go to Madison let him write to some friend or public official of that city for information, and let him contribute to the promotion of this enterprise at home by making public the information he receives.

Gifts For Smokers

We have everything for a smoker's comfort and convenience in a choice of authentic Xmas presents. Examine!

CIGAR CASES
From 40c up to 2.50.

CIGAR JARS
From 75c to \$2.50.

SMOKING SETS
From 75c to \$2.50.

FRENCH BRIAR PIPES
From 25c to \$3.00.

GENUINE MEERSCHAUM PIPES
From \$2.50 to \$12.00.

Also a fine line of Cigars in beautiful holiday packages, from 50c to \$1.

Top All is one of our grades; a bargain, box of 25 \$1.00.

SMITH'S PHARMACY
The Retail Store,
Kodak & Kodak Supplies.

'BLUE' SUNDAY IN OMAHA TOMORROW

Mayor Dahlman and Chief of Police Donahue Preparing to Tightly Clamp the "Lid."

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 14.—If the order of Mayor Dahlman and Chief of Police Donahue are enforced tomorrow will be as "blue" a Sunday in Omaha as any the people of New England experienced back in the days of the famous blue laws of that section. The authorities will see to it that no unnecessary business of any sort is done, and no unnecessary common labor performed. If the orders are carried out to the letter there will be no newspapers sold in the streets or delivered by carriers. All saloons, billiard halls, barber shops, butcher shops, groceries, bakeries, candy stands, theaters, dance halls and other place of business and amusement will be closed as tight as a drum. About the only exception will be in favor of the drug stores, and these will be permitted only to fill prescriptions. The transformation will be a remarkable one, especially in view of the fact that Omaha for years has been looked upon as one of the most wide open Sunday towns on the continent.

Advice to a Theorist.

"What kind of views would you advance me to set forth in my next lecture tour?" inquired the habitual orator. "Well," answered the coldly practical theorist, "if I were you I'd get some stereoscopic views."

NEW MILEAGE BOOKS ARE TRANSFERABLE

Will be Issued Tomorrow and Are to be Good on All Roads of Western Passenger Association.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 14.—The roads of the Western Passenger Association will tomorrow begin the issuance of the new mileage books to be sold up on the basis of 2 cents a mile and good on all the roads of the association. Each book will be good for one year from date. The 1000-mile books will be good for the transportation of one or more, so that the members of a family or special party will be permitted to travel on one book, issued to "bearer," on the same train as long as the mileage holds out. These books, however, will be good only on the lines issuing them. They will be sold for \$20. The 2000-mile books sold at \$40 will be good for but one passenger at a time, but can be used by any one individually. This book will be accepted for transportation on all lines in the association. No signatures of purchasers or holders of either class of books will be required.

Women and Their Fears.

"Not half the horrors that women suppose are going to happen to them ever do happen. Yet it is in the nature of the gentle sex to expect and look out for them; to anticipate what fate may never send. In the form that women nurture it, too, it is no nebulous, so vague, so terrifying because so scientifically defined, as to be absolutely nonsense."—Woman's Life.

750,000 ACRES OF ALFALFA IN KANSAS

Yet Superintendent of Agricultural College Says Farmers Do Not Appreciate Value of Wonderful Crop.

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 14.—Kansas now has three-fourths of a million acres growing alfalfa, yet in the opinion of J. H. Miller, of the Kansas State Agricultural College, the farmers of the state do not sufficiently appreciate the value and importance of the wonderful crop. Superintendent Miller has therefore issued a call requesting the farmers' institutes throughout Kansas to hold special meetings today for the discussion of all matters pertaining to the growing of alfalfa, including seed and seed bed, cutting and storing. It is expected that the call will be answered by over 500 meetings of farmers held simultaneously throughout Kansas.

Receipts for Happiness.

If you would be true to the best in yourself, living up to your highest conceptions of right, standing boldly by the truth and satisfied therewith, you will be a happy man.—Marcus Aurelius.

Motherly Vexation.

"O, Johnny!" exclaimed Mrs. Lapsing. "You've worn out those shoes already, and I got them for you new just after we had our last equinoctial storm!"

Blotches.

A slice of raw potato rubbed over unlighty patches will often cause them to disappear.

What Shall I Give —for— CHRISTMAS

A question that is uppermost in the minds of everyone just now.

WHY NOT GIVE A TELEPHONE.....

Nothing will please your family or your dearest friend quite so much. Let us install one as your gift for a year. It is a most sensible present and one that will be in use and give joy to the recipient every day in the year.

We've made special arrangements for these Christmas gift telephones.

Call or write Contract Department
ROCK COUNTY
TELEPHONE COMPANY
1800 subscribers.

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This is a practical age, and in proportion as young men and women are capable of meeting the demands of this practical age, so will their services be required. Many of the most successful men of our day, occupying foremost positions in the world of business and finance, began with

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Many of our bright young men and women fail to reach their highest success simply because they possess no special training which has a market value in the business world.

EXTRACTS FROM LETTERS FROM FORMER GRADUATES

(Names furnished on application)

"Am very grateful for what you have done for me and shall never hesitate to use my influence to persuade anyone having intentions of going to a business school there is only one and that the S. W. B. C."

This young man was only 17 years of age when he came to us and after taking a course in shorthand and bookkeeping secured a position which paid him \$75 per month on the start.

"I feel more than repaid for the time and money spent in this school. No young man or woman could possibly make a mistake in selecting this school."

This is from another young man who secured a position at \$60 per month on the start in a neighboring city. He came to us with only an ordinary English education.

WE CAN SHOW YOU DOZENS OF LETTERS SIMILAR TO THE ABOVE.

WHAT BUSINESS FIRMS THINK OF OUR STUDENTS

(Names furnished on application)

It is with great satisfaction that I speak of the work of Miss ——— as stenographer and typewriter. Her work is rapid and very complete and up-to-date, and speaks very highly for your methods in teaching and training.

We are pleased to report that Miss ——— is doing good work and is proving entirely satisfactory.

[We find Miss ——— unusually competent and her services are much more satisfactory than the graduates of other schools whom we have previously engaged.

It gives us great pleasure to state that we find ——— very competent, in fact more so than any pupil we have ever had. The work performed indicates the thorough and able instruction given in your college.

Your school cannot be too highly recommended.

A personal investigation reveals the fact that the S. W. B. C. emphasizes and accomplishes two things demanded today in business houses—high grade work (quality), and speed (quantity).

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Every Graduate Has Been Placed To Date

This is the assurance we offer every graduate of our institution. Can you ask for more?

Mid-Winter Term Opens January 2, 1908

Good Board and Room is obtainable at \$3.00 to \$3.50 per week and there are opportunities for securing Board and Room Free.

Write for handsome new catalogue and college souvenir. They are free.

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W. W. DALE, President

JANESVILLE, WIS.

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AND DON'T FORGET THE TALKING MACHINES

KOEBELIN'S

Jewelry and Music House

"THE PLACE TO BUY."

ARGUE OVER "BLUE" SUNDAY IN GOTHAM

ALL CLASSES REPRESENTED AT BIG PUBLIC HEARING.

CHANGE IN LAW WANTED

Protestants, Catholics, Germans, Jews and Labor Organizations Discuss Qualification of Legal Restrictions.

New York, Dec. 14.—Whether New Yorkers are to have a more liberal Sunday than is permitted under the present law, as recently interpreted by Supreme Court Justice O'Grady, was debated by representatives of nearly all classes of a cosmopolitan city at a public hearing before an administrative committee Friday.

To this committee has been referred by the board of aldermen, a resolution designed to qualify the present legal restrictions so far as they may be modified without bringing city ordinances into conflict with the penal code. The suggested changes, which may be incorporated in the new city charter, would allow such entertainments of a musical and intellectual order as would not violate the traditional significance of the day. They provide for the opening of the theaters, opera houses and other places where concerts have long been held on the Sabbath.

Next Sunday Must Be "Blue."

Proponents and opponents of the resolution were heard by the committee, which will report to the full board next Tuesday. What this report will be, if already determined, is not known. Next Sunday will necessarily be "blue," as was last, although the Edison Museum and some of the penny arcades have secured injunctions through which they will be able to do business as usual. The theatrical men generally, however, will not force the issue, but await the action of the board.

Protestant, Catholic, German and Jewish societies and labor organizations were represented Friday.

Canon Chase Favors Concerts.

Canon William S. Chase, of the Episcopal church, proposed a substitute ordinance permitting concerts after four p. m. on Sunday, but not in the licensed theaters, not in costume, and under the direction of a commission to be appointed for that purpose.

Dr. F. C. Ignatius, representing some Methodist churches, declared that money was the object of the advocates of the open theater and that they wanted a Sunday which might be called a debauch.

David J. Blumstein declared that the Yiddish theaters of the lower East Side took the place of divine service for many Jewish people. The stage was a moral necessity for them.

For the United German societies, Theodore Butro said that there should be a clear distinction between the church and the government, and that the government should not enforce church regulations. "Keep all clean amusements open," he added.

Argument by Damrosch.

Walter Damrosch declared that his musicians did not regard their Sunday concerts as work, and that the financial end was of little consequence. "We claim the right of American citizens," he said. "We do not want a Scotch Sunday in America."

Rev. Dr. Madison C. Peters advocated a more liberal Sunday and favored the reopening of the theaters.

Representatives of the Actors' National Brotherhood and the White Hats, the vaudeville organization, pleaded for reopening.

A speaker for the Federation of Catholic Societies of New York said that organization favored modest, decorous entertainments on Sunday, and that the Catholic sentiment was not for a puritanical, but for a Christian Sunday.

Joseph Barondoss, for the Federation of Jewish organizations, asked that the theaters be open.

A speaker for the Central Federated union of 250,000 working men also urged that the theaters be opened.

BIG FLOCK OF SHEEP DROWNED

Thousands Plunge Into the Mad River in Washington.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 14.—News has reached this city from Katlat, Wash., that a flock of sheep, numbering nearly 11,000, were drowned recently in the Mad river. The sheep were being driven from the Cascade mountains to the Katlat valley to winter. While the flock was carefully going down a mountain side the leaders slipped on the sheet-covered ground and rolled over a precipice into the Mad river below. This demoralized the rest of the flock and before the men in charge could control them thousands had slipped or plunged into the river.

Absconder Walker Under Arrest

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 14.—Word received by a detective agent now here is to the effect that William F. Walker, the absconding treasurer of the New Britain (Conn.) Savings bank, was arrested at Ensenada on Wednesday and will start as soon as possible from there on his long journey to the scene of his offense.

Actors Help Monongah Fund

Cleveland, O., Dec. 14.—As the result of an actors' benefit performance here Friday over \$1,500 was added to the fund for the relief of the mine sufferers at Monongah, W. Va.

H. S. Lovejoy returned this morning from a business trip in the western part of the state.

Buy it in Janesville.

GRAND BALL FOR FLEET OFFICERS

BRILLIANT SOCIAL EVENT AT OLD POINT COMFORT.

ARMY AND NAVY UNITED

Day is Given Up to Visiting and Entertainment—Not All Japanese Servants to Be Left Behind.

Old Point Comfort, Va., Dec. 14.—A brilliant naval and military ball was given at the Hotel Chamberlain Friday night in honor of Admiral Evans and the other officers of the 16 battleships which sail Monday on their notable cruise to the Pacific ocean.

The reception and dance in the gaily decorated ballroom closed a day given over almost entirely to social functions. The ships reported "ready" Thursday night, and Friday there was little or no work to do. Enlisted men came ashore in large numbers, while on board ship the gunners and wardroom officers kept open house. Afternoon tea was served on every vessel and impromptu musicals were a feature of the day's entertaining. Bobbing launches filled with gay parties from shore made frequent trips during the visiting hours.

Brilliant Scene at Ball.

The night's event, the most formal of the week, called out the special evening dress uniforms of the naval officers, who were all a glitter with gold lace and trappings. Army officers from Fort Monroe added a bright touch of artillery red to the color scheme. Flags of all nations draped the ballroom. The social sets of Norfolk, Richmond, Baltimore, Washington and other eastern cities were largely represented in the spectacular gathering.

Several naval attaches from the foreign embassies and legations at Washington have arrived here to witness the maneuvers attending the departure of the fleet.

Many Japanese Will Be Taken.

With regard to the report that all Japanese servants on board the vessels of the Pacific-bound fleet have been transferred to other ships that are to be left behind, it was stated on board the flagship Connecticut that only those Japanese stewards and mess attendants whose enlistments expire prior to July 1 next have been replaced by American sailors recently trained for the work. The Japanese falling within this restriction have been placed on receiving ships at various navy yards, as it was not desired to discharge them at a distant port and be under the obligation of paying their fares back to the eastern portion of the United States. Quite a number of Japanese servants, whose enlistments have a year or more to run, are being taken along as usual.

Murderer Bane But Saved from Death.

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 14.—Martin Paulsgrove, who murdered his sweetheart, Miss Mary Newman, because she would not consent to an immediate marriage, who was sentenced to hang and then committed to the insane asylum here, on order of Gov. Folk, has been declared sane by hospital authorities and Gov. Folk has commuted his sentence to life imprisonment. He will be removed at once to the penitentiary at Jefferson City.

Shoe Company Assigns.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 14.—The U. B. Burns Shoe Manufacturing company of this city made an assignment Friday for the benefit of the creditors, Francis X. Campbell, of St. Louis, being made the assignee. The assets now given at \$80,000, the liabilities at \$100,000. The plant has been leased to a St. Louis concern, which will continue to operate it.

Heavy Ball Asked from Brown.

San Francisco, Dec. 14.—Judge Frank H. Dunn Friday afternoon ruled the bail of J. Dunsell Brown and W. J. Barnett from \$75,000 to \$100,000. Brown was returned to the city prison.

Nurses Dread Lightning.

Of all people who are glad when the season of thunderstorms is past, none are more thankful than professional nurses. "It isn't that we are so afraid of lightning ourselves," said a hospital nurse, "but it has a harmful effect on our patients. Most people have an unreasonable fear of lightning. In cases of extreme weakness or nervousness a dozen flashes of blinding lightning reduces the patient to such a state of prostration that it takes extraordinary efforts on the part of the nurse to bring him around. If one sick person requires all that extra attention in a thunderstorm, just imagine the predicament of the nurse who has a whole ward full of them on her hands."

German Exactitude.

The widow of a German officer presented herself at the office in Berlin for the purpose of drawing the pension due her. She handed in the necessary certificate from the mayor of the village in which she lived to the effect that she was still alive. "This certificate is not correct," said the officer in charge. "What is the matter with it?" asked the lady. "It bears the date of September 21," was the stern reply, "and your pension was due on September 15." "What kind of a certificate do you wish?" asked the disappointed applicant. "We must have a certificate stating that you were alive on September 15," said the officer with great firmness.

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HARRY ORCHARD IS PUT ON THE RACK

SEVERELY CROSS-EXAMINED BY CLARENCE DARROW.

HIS STORY IS UNSHAKEN

Pettibone's Attorney, However, Shows Up the Confessor as Guilty of All Kinds of Crimes.

Boise, Idaho, Dec. 14.—Clarence Darrow, the Chicago attorney who is conducting the defense of George A. Pettibone, had Harry Orchard, the state's chief witness, on the rack for two hours and a half Friday, endeavoring to discredit his testimony.

The cross-examination was rigid and effective in that it Orchard was pictured as an infamous monster, a murderer, bigamist, perjurer, gambler, thief and incendiary. Profiting by the failure of Attorney Richardson, in the Haywood trial, to shake the testimony of Orchard, Darrow made it the attempt to make the witness contradict himself.

Couldn't Shake His Story.

Twice only during the day did he try to confuse Orchard in regard to his testimony, and each time he failed. Reading from the testimony of the Haywood trial, Darrow endeavored to make it appear that the witness had changed his statements, but Orchard forced his questioner to read more of his testimony, given before, showing that his testimony had been the same at both trials.

Darrow announced that he would conclude his cross-examination Saturday and Hawley stated to the court that the state would finish its case by next Thursday. Witnesses for the defense were therefore subpoenaed to appear Friday of next week.

When court opened Friday morning Orchard took the stand and resumed his story of crime.

The testimony began with the trip to Canyon City to kill Peabody, the witness saying that in going he followed Haywood's instructions.

Secured Much Dynamite.

He said he got 50 pounds of dynamite at Max Mallich's place, where it had been left by Adams, Mallich and himself after stealing it from a magazine. The powder, he said, was taken to Pettibone's store, where he and Pettibone made the bombs. Orchard had the lead case made at a plumber's shop.

Next came the narration of the second attempt on Judge Gabbert, in which he said Pettibone assisted. A bomb, he said, was set with a wire across a path frequented by Gabbert. Pettibone then went to the Salt Lake convention, the witness said, and Orchard made another attempt alone. He placed the bomb at the same place, but a mining man named Wallace came along ahead of Gabbert, picked up the purse, and was blown to pieces.

TRIED TO MURDER WOMAN.

Cleveland Real Estate Man Shoots Widow and Himself.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 14.—George P. Harpat, president of a real estate concern, shot Mrs. Mary Volek, a young widow, Friday and then turned the revolver to his own head and fired. Harpat may die. The woman was but slightly injured. A bullet aimed at her head was diverted by her hair comb. The next bullet pierced her hand.

Harpat, who is said to have a wife and two children in Pittsburgh, Pa., had business dealings with Mrs. Volek for a long time and had obtained money from her. She sued him for \$500 several months ago.

PECULIAR SUICIDE IN PARIS.

Old Man Throws Himself Under Michigan Man's Automobile.

Paris, Dec. 14.—An old man was run down and killed Friday afternoon on the Champs-Elysees by an automobile owned by James Watson of Calumet, Mich. Neither Mr. Watson, who was in the car, nor his French chauffeur, who was driving it, was detained, as the policeman in charge of the regulation of traffic at the spot where the man was killed, declared it was a case of suicide.

Will of Judge George Baldwin.

Appleton, Wis., Dec. 14.—The will of the late Judge George Baldwin was made public Friday and, except for a bequest of \$25,000 to a cousin and four daughters in Vermont, the entire estate, estimated at \$5,000,000, is left in trust for ten years to the widow, Mrs. Catherine M. Baldwin, and two sons, George B. and Charles Baldwin. At the expiration of ten years the estate is to be divided, share and share alike, between the three. Lands in Washington, Oregon, Michigan, the Dakotas, Wisconsin and Oklahoma are included in the estate.

Veteran River Pilot Is Dead.

St. Charles, Mo., Dec. 14.—Capt. Edward L. Fulkerson, aged 71 years, who had been a pilot on the Mississippi river since he was 18 years old, died here from malarial fever. He was known by river men from St. Louis to New Orleans, and was the oldest pilot on the river in point of years of service. Capt. Fulkerson was one of the pilots selected to steer the steamer on which President Roosevelt made his recent trip down the river to Memphis.

Peculiar Plunder.

Among the plunder which burglars carried off recently from a San Francisco house were two donkeys, or burros, as they call them out there.

For Happiness in Marriage.

I have spoken of the only true and right motive for marriage, and venture my opinion that marriage should not be too eagerly sought by either sex, but rather waited for until the certainty has come that one loves worthily and well. I mean, that for a man to say to himself, in cold blood, that it is time he should marry, and, for that reason, to look about for a wife—instead of being aware that he loves and therefore desires to marry the one beloved woman—is, to my thinking, as unwise and in almost as poor taste as for a girl to discover that it is time she were settled in life and, in consequence, set about trying to attract a husband. In neither case is happiness in marriage likely to be the result of such a quest.—Louise Chandler Moulton.

Having an Object in Life.

Nobody has any right to find life uninteresting or unrewarding who sees within the sphere of his own activity a wrong he can help to remedy, or within himself an evil he can hope to overcome.—C. H. Elliot.

Change Habits in Captivity.

Lions, tigers, and other beasts of prey at zoological gardens and menageries follow the example of mankind in eating by day and sleeping at night. In their native state these animals sleep away the hours of daylight and hunt for their food at night.

Out of the Schoolroom.

A schoolboy was asked to give some information in regard to the Cary sisters, the once famous New England poets, and he said of them: "The Cary sisters were two poets who lived in Massachusetts most of the time. They went to New York where they made many fast friends. Their fastest friend was John G. Whittier." At the time of the Longfellow centennial, when the school children were writing so much about him, one boy wrote: "Longfellow's poems were mostly of his own composition, but he wrote 'Tales of a Wayside Inn' where others did the talking. He was the poet lorry of our country and was a crackerjack when it came to real poetry."—Lippincott's.

Preparing for Fresh Endeavor.

As sleep prepares for toil, rest for effort, laughter for sober thought, the mount of prayer for the healing of the multitude; so these seasons of withdrawal and communion prepare our hearts for fresh endeavor, in which we may be equally assured of God's helpful presence.—Dolton Jones.

Another View.

Mrs. Tourlet—"I'm afraid that the monkey wouldn't please my husband." Vendor—"But madam will find it easier to find another husband than to get a monkey like that for three plasters."—Translated for Transatlantic Tales from Le Rire.

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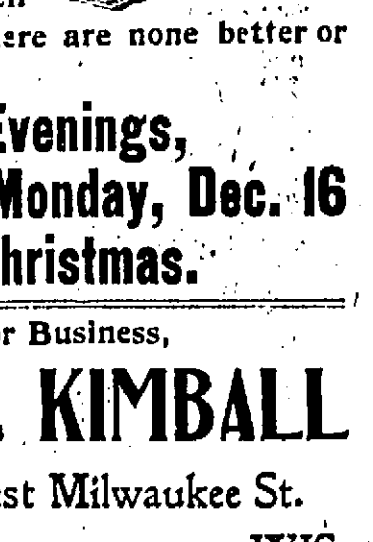
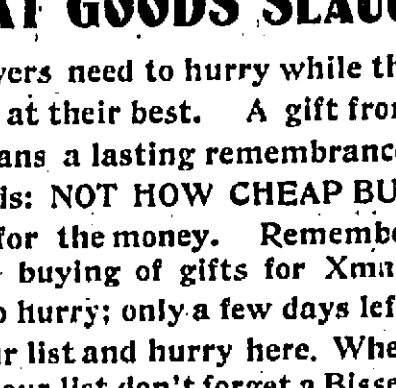
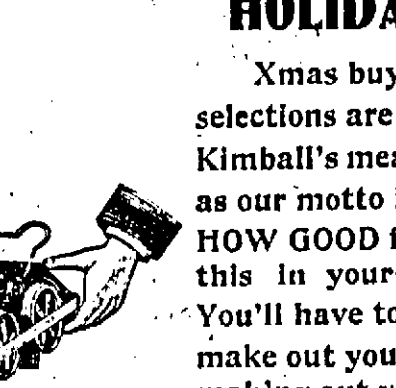
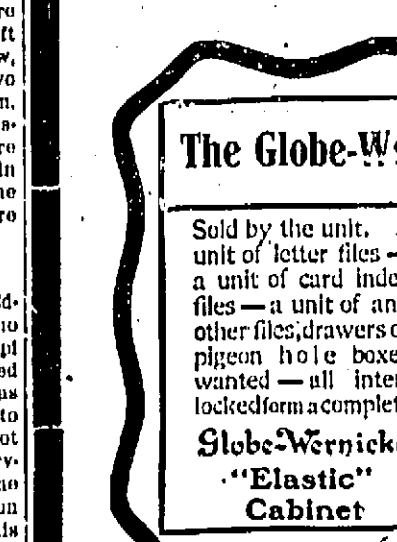
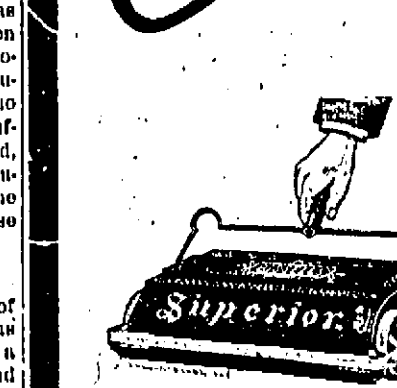
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Snow tonight and possibly Sunday.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of December, 1907.
JENNIE L. KENDALL,
(Seal)
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My commission expires Feb. 11, 1911.

OUR SATURDAY NIGHT

For the first time in nearly half a century the city of New York, last Sunday, was despoiled of all kinds of amusements. Under the provisions of an old law, so long extinct that it had been forgotten, an erratic judge decided that all playhouses, of whatever character, must be made to observe the Sabbath, and so it happened that the sacred concert, as well as the dance hall, was under the ban, while the churches and solemn shrines of the responsibility of entertaining the crowds.

The latter were, while open from morning until midnight and enjoyed a thriving patronage, but there was no perceptible increase in the church attendance, and the preachers are still struggling with the question, "Why people don't go to church."

The argument used by many good people in New York was, that if the theatres and concert halls were closed on Sunday, that the churches would be without competition, and that thousands of tired people would find their way to places of worship for rest and recreation.

The theory was all right, but like many other theories it failed in desired results, and the great non-churchgoing crowds thronged the streets, and cursed the administration.

Down in the foreign quarters, where a dozen different nationalities have been in the habit of spending Sunday as they were accustomed to in the land of their birth, complaint was pronounced and bitter.

An Englishman who has conducted a Chinese theatre for years, said: "I don't know what my people will do without the Sunday night sacred concert. They go to church in the morning, and come down to hear the music at night. They might do worse."

This sentiment was expressed in many quarters, where the question of personal liberty was considered, and some of the more conservative clergy were free to say that in their opinion a mistake had been made.

There is no city in the world where Christianity and civilization are so highly favored as in this busy metropolis. The Chinaman, the African, the Jew, the Turk, the Pole and the Bohemian, in fact, the representatives of every nation under the sun are here, not in negro handbills, but a great multitude, waiting to be Americanized and to become factors in the best government in the world.

This conglomerate mass of humanity present an object lesson that might be studied to good advantage in many foreign missionary circles, scattered over the land, in many sections of the country where ignorance concerning conditions in Greater New York is more dense than ignorance concerning either Africa or China.

"The best field for foreign missionary work is on American soil, and every department of it can be reached from the principal port of entry. If the heathen who come to our shores can not be converted to the Christian faith, there is but little hope of capturing him in the land of his birth.

Seventy thousand of these people went back to the old world last week, but judging from reports many of them were no better off than when they landed in this country. Many of them were destitute of money and morals, and the cities

where they landed were obliged to establish soup-houses, and double their police force. Rather a sad comment on American civilization.

If statistics were compiled, it would be found that there are more heathen in the city of New York than can be found in any missionary field in the world, or at least more than are being reached in any foreign field.

The Sunday reform movement, mentioned, is not distinctly a church movement. It is an adjunct of the great tidal wave of moral reform which has been sweeping over the country for the past two years.

Of the same character as the temperance epidemic which is spreading over the land, and for which the prohibition party, as an organization, is entitled to no particular credit.

The time has come when the man who drinks to excess is regarded as an undesirable citizen, and the man who drinks at all is looked upon with suspicion. This censorship is not on the part of the church. It is the popular estimate which the business world records, and is more effective than pledges or promises.

The railway corporations, and all of the great industries, refuse to carry on their pay rolls, the name of the man who drinks. The result is that radical and complete reform is necessary to steady employment.

Thus it is that business is adding to raise the moral code to a higher level, and this is true in many lines outside of temperance. The public conscience has been quickened, and many influences, outside the pulpit, are contributory.

It remains for the church to take advantage of these new and wholesome conditions. The fields are white for the harvest, and the churches are confronted with a grave responsibility.

When a city is forced to reform, against its will, the law accomplished, in a single stroke, more than public sentiment has accomplished, in a generation. If the work is to be permanent, Christianity must step in and make it so by winning these new recruits to a better life.

VERY FORTUNATE.



"Goodness, mister, it's a lucky thing you was dere when I fell!"—Boston Globe.

'TWOULD BE FOLLY TO BE WISE



The Motorist—Funny thing they can't keep this road in better order. Seems to me absurdly bumpy.

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Counsel (during a "salvage case")—And how do you account for remembering that incident of three months ago so perfectly?

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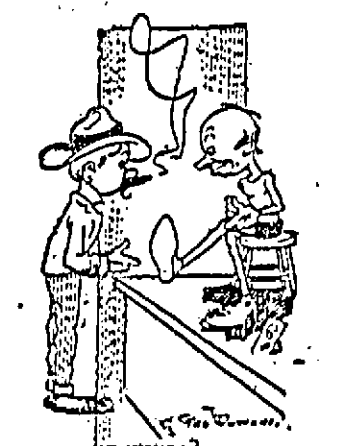
A KICK COMING.



Mr. Jackson—I understand that that young man who comes to see you so often is anxious to become an actor? His Daughter—Yes, sir. He wants to appear before the footlights.

Mr. Jackson—Well, he'd better disappear before the foot lights.—Philadelphia Press.

MUSEUM MUSES.



Manager—What do you think of the rough house that "The Bearded Woman" created last night?

The Skeleton—I'm surprised. I always thought he was a perfect lady.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Right Way to Treat Boy.

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The Public School Garden. The proposition to establish a public school garden in every city, village and town in Massachusetts is a good one. Curiously enough, the country town seems to need it most.—Boston Transcript.

Youthful Remembrance. "Look, papa," said the small girl, as she and her father passed the church where the little one had been baptized. "There is the place where I was christened."

Pope's True Saying. "It is with narrow-necked people, as with narrow-necked bottles; the less they have in them the more noise they make in pouring it out."—Pope.

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THE BRIDE'S TASK.



Mr. Justwed—Now that we are married, dear, you have a serious task before you.

Mrs. Justwed—What's that, George? Mr. Justwed—You must prove to my sisters that you are worthy of me.—Topeka State Journal.

WOULD MEET HIM HALF WAY.



Yalevard—That's Freshman. They're trying him for the football team. I think he's a coming half-back.

Miss Brynmaure—I wish he'd come all the way back. I'd like to be introduced to him.—Philadelphia Press.

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OLIN & OLSON

11 days before Xmas

THIS IS
GEO. PHILLIPS
—of the—
PHILLIPS'
CANDY KITCHEN.
157 West Milwaukee St.



Have you been in to see Phillips?

Phillips saves you 50 per cent on candy.

Phillips' candy is pure and delicious; made in his own clean kitchen by expert candy makers.

Large Assortment of Xmas Post Cards at Phillips.

XMAS CANDY

For the Sunday Schools

An excellent assortment of candies especially adapted for Christmas presents in large lots. Salt Water Taffy—something new, in clean cut pieces—wrapped separately in glazed paper. Wintergreen, molasses, chocolate, vanilla and peppermint flavors. Get our prices.

PALACE OF SWEETS

PIERSON & PORTER, Props.

SHOE REPAIRING BY AN EXPERT.

Have your shoes kept up. It keeps the shape of the shoe and makes them wear longer. Popular prices.

PETER WEBER
35 years' experience.
16 N Exchange.

HORSE INTERFERE?

I make a specialty of shoeing that kind of horses.
Try me.

WM. F. KUHLOW.
Scientific Horse-shoer.
No. 10 First St.

"Sure to Please."

CURLER BROS.
459 Western Ave.
MEAT MUST BE SANITARY

these days. Insist on having yours so. You will get them right of us. Phone your orders. "Prompt Delivery."

New phone, 1008 blk. Old phone, 3162.

XMAS CIGARS

Holiday Boxes 55c to \$4.

SMITH'S PHARMACY.

CHOP SUEY RESTAURANT

now making a specialty of SUNDAY dinners—handsomely served, at 25c.

MENU FOR TOMORROW.

Chicken Broth
Rib Roast Beef, Brown Gravy
Roast Veal with Dressing
Roast Turkey, Cranberry Sauce
Breaded Pork Chops.
Tomato Sauce

Flaked Potatoes.
Stewed Sugar Corn
String Beans in Cream
Chocolate Lemons.
Pick of all kinds.

J. E. MEYER, Prop.

7 So. Main.

Is Money Tight With You?

If so, you will be pleased to note that your needs in the Dental line may be easily met.

If you select the Right Dentist, Dr. Richards has built up the largest Dental practice in the city during the past 7 years.

By delivering three things.
1ST. PAINLESS DENTISTRY.
Just this A. M. one of the most prominent and influential citizens of Janesville consulted him and had an ulcerated tooth extracted and said in departing:

"Dr. Richards, you did that very nicely and satisfactorily to me."

2NDLY. GOOD, HONEST WORK.
Time tells the tale in all things and time only shows up the durability of his work.

3RDLY. REASONABLE PRICES.
You no doubt have paid \$10 each for those gold crowns in your mouth. Dr. Richards has put out hundreds in this city for just \$5 each, and guarantees them to be the same in every respect—quality of gold, thickness of gold, purity, etc., etc.

What's the use of paying twice as much as necessary, when by consulting

Dr. Richards you may get the same work at a less price and all done painlessly in the bargain.

Office—over Hall & Bayles Jewelry store, West Milwaukee St.

YULE TIDE HALTS THE FESTIVITIES

FEW PARTIES ARE SCHEDULED FOR THE COMING WEEK.

BRIDGE STILL ABSORBING

Several Card Clubs Plan for Christmas Gatherings—Past Week's Gossip

Yuletide festivities, home gatherings and Christmas dinners and parties are the absorbing topics of conversation just at present. Society still adheres to cards—cards and preparation for the Christmas season being for the heaviest will come later, but at present sewing for gifts to friends is in vogue. However, many of the charitably-inclined are finding their spare moments taken up in preparing Christmas boxes for needy ones right in our midst. While there is not great suffering, there is sufficient to attract attention and persons so inclined can do much to make Christmas a happy day in many a household.

On Tuesday last Miss Ray Dostwick entertained the Nine Bridge Whist Club, Miss Mahol Shumway winning the prize. This club will hold no more meetings until after Christmas.

On Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. Ogden H. Pathway were hosts at a delightful bridge whist party, some sixty guests enjoying their hospitality. Judge Fild and Mrs. Thos. S. Nolan won the two duty prizes.

On Wednesday, Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy entertained at a one o'clock luncheon and Mrs. M. H. Michaels of 20 Milwaukee avenue was also hostess at a one o'clock luncheon. At six thirty Mr. and Mrs. George E. King entertained at dinner, four tables of bridge being played later.

On Friday, Mrs. Frank Fild entertained two tables at bridge and Mrs. H. W. McNamara entertained the young ladies' bridge whist club at luncheon and cards. Mrs. Hough also entertained the Art League at her home on St. Lawrence avenue. Miss Louise Merrill entertained a bridge club Friday afternoon.

This noon at one Mrs. Arthur Harris entertained the one-table bridge club composed of Mrs. Chas. Dostwick, Mrs. Frank Jackson and Mrs. H. D. Hoover, at luncheon followed by cards. This afternoon the Ladies' Duplicate Whist club met with Mrs. Stanley Smith.

On Monday, Mrs. George Kimball entertained at bridge and several other clubs will hold their regular meetings during the week, but no large parties have been arranged for.

On December 23, Mrs. A. P. Lovejoy entertained a large Christmas party and on the 24th Miss Vera Nolan entertained in honor of Miss Helen Joffe, who returns from Bradford Academy in Massachusetts for the holidays, at a dance to be held in Old Fellows' hall. The golf club party comes New Year's night.

Last evening about thirty-five friends, neighbors and relatives stepped in and surprised F. S. Cuddeback at his home in the town of La Prairie. The evening was indulged in various games and dancing, after which the guests all took a trip to the moon in the little Red Wagon. Refreshments were served and the guests departed having spent the evening most joyously. Those from town were Mr. and Mrs. Christ Peim, Miss Mahol, Miss Ella Crick and Miss Hattie Crick from Port Washington, Mr. Otto Hoff, Mr. A. C. Hatfield, and Mr. Wm. A. Zorbel.

NEW DIRECTORY FOR YEAR 1908

Rock County Telephone Co. Book Will Be Out Soon.

The new telephone directory of the Rock County Telephone Co. is being compiled and will be ready to send to the printer December 20th. Those contemplating the installation of a telephone should notify the company at once so that your name, etc., will appear in the new book. The list of telephone numbers at present nearly 1600 subscribers and is clearly the telephone for you.

ROCK CO. TELEPHONE CO.
H. C. Willis, Mgr.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Gazette advertisers are requested to prepare their copy early, during the holiday rush of advertising. Especially is it important that this should be done for Tuesday's and Friday's issues. Late arrivals are liable to miss insertion if copy is not on hand the evening before or before 11 o'clock of the day of issue.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Christmas tree trimmings and toys—a large line. Alito Buzook. Delay not on insurance. You can't tell when you will need it. Calho, Jackson, block.

The smoke—Council Chamber & cont. cigar.

Don't fail to attend our special far opening and sample sale Thursday, Dec. 19th. Prices will be exceptionally low on high grade furs. T. P. Duran.

Smoke Roblin clear Havana Cigars. Use Taylor's Solway cake.

The Associated Charities will meet at four o'clock Monday afternoon. Arrangements will be made at this meeting for Christmas work.

Mrs. J. S. Duran, No. 2 Knollworth flat, St. Main St., has for sale pretty heads and figures done in water colors.

Come in this evening and see the pretty holiday goods on display. You will find our prices the lowest. T. P. Duran.

Miss Mabel Shell of Milton avenue will leave soon for Spokane, Wash., where she will be the guest of her sister, Miss Genovio Shell, who is teaching in a shorthand school.



MRS. NICHOLAS LONGWORTH.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 14.—The condition of Mrs. Longworth continues to improve and she is now considered out of danger.

A FORMER RESIDENT ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

Word Received of the Death of Henry Lowry at Inwood, Iowa, on Friday.

Word has been received of the death of Henry L. Lowry of Inwood, Iowa, on Friday from wounds received by the accidental discharge of a weapon on Wednesday last. Mr. Lowry once lived in Janesville and was a brother of the late Robert Lowry.

OBITUARY.

William Hume
The funeral of William Hume, formerly of this city who died in Oshkosh Thursday morning, will be held today at the Oak Hill chapel. The family will leave Oshkosh with the body this morning arriving here at noon.

On coming to this country Mr. Hume settled first in New York and later at Emerald Grove. He came to Janesville about 1857 and started a planing mill where the Janesville Machine company's plant now is. One of his biggest undertakings was the building of the old Hyatt Hotel in this city which at the time was one of the largest hotels in the west.

Mr. Hume leaves to mourn his loss a daughter, Mrs. L. B. Tuttle of Oshkosh, and two sons, John W. Hume, an attorney in Oshkosh, and R. J. Hume, who is superintendent of the Paine Lumber company. Mr. Hume will be buried by the side of his wife who was a sister of the late John A. Hume of Janesville.

The Rev. R. C. Denison conducted the funeral services and the bearers were John W. Hume, R. J. Hume, James Shearer, George A. Hume, Robert A. Hume and John A. Hume.

Mrs. Anna Larkin
The funeral of Mrs. Anna Larkin, who died suddenly at the home of Thomas Hannon in Deloit last Wednesday, was held this morning at two o'clock at St. Patrick's church. The Rev. J. J. McGinnity officiated and the interment was in Mt. Olivet cemetery.

Hugh Miller
The remains of Hugh Miller, who died Thursday evening, were laid to rest this morning in the Oak Hill cemetery. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. R. M. Vaughan at 10 o'clock in the Oak Hill chapel and the bearers were W. Grove, B. P. Crossman, A. W. Woodworth, and J. Taylor.

Mrs. J. F. Hutchinson
Funeral services are to be held over the remains of Mrs. J. F. Hutchinson Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home at 106 Cornelia street.

SECOND MEETING OF SOCIAL UNION CLUB
Organized Sports and Amusements Will be the Subject of the Evening's Discussion.

The Social Union will hold its second meeting on Tuesday next at the Y. M. C. A. building. The subject of the evening will be "The Benefits and Dangers of Organized Amusements, Sports and Recreations." E. J. Hammon will be the leader and the program will be as follows:

1. The Theatre....R. H. Van Cleave
2. Outdoor Sports and Recreations....S. M. Smith
3. Does Janesville Need a Municipal Recreation Park....Dr. Schindler
4. The Possibilities of the River....Prof. H. C. Bush
5. Miscellaneous Amusements....A. E. Matheson

Lou Rock Here Again! Lou Rock, who has been an exile from his native birth since August 23, came in from Elroy last evening to see his mother. He said "How do do" to Officer Marjess and the latter straightway escorted him to the lock-up. In municipal court this morning he pleaded guilty to drunkenness and was given until Monday morning to get out of town again, under a suspended sentence. The patrol wagon called at Harry Ashcraft's home last evening on request of his wife. He was sent to the county jail for four days; Charles Eason could not pay \$4 and costs and went to the bastille for ten days.

FIVE BELOIT BOYS BEHIND BARS HERE FOR BRASSTHEFTS

Pleading Guilty to Charge of Stealing From Wreckage of Railroad Collision—Go to Reformatory Monday.

Five youths ranging in age from 17 to 18 years, pleaded guilty in the Beloit municipal court this morning to the charge of stealing 500 pounds of brass journals and trimmings from the wreckage remaining from Monday night's collision south of the Lake City on the Northwestern road; were sentenced to two years each in the state reformatory at Green Bay; and were brought to the county jail this noon by Sheriff J. D. Fisher. The lads are: George Knight, whose father just finished a twenty day sentence in the bastille for drunkenness; Miles Bell, son of the colored man who was recently sent to the state asylum at Mendota for threatening to cut his white wife's throat; Ralph Clarke, a brother of Harold Clarke who was sent to the Green Bay reformatory two weeks ago for a theft at the Hotel Hilton; John Hansberry, whose mother is a hard working washerwoman; and Walter Norris. Three of the boys were arrested while in bed early yesterday morning and the other two were captured on the streets of Beloit through the efforts of William Jeffery, assistant special agent of the C. & N. W. police department, and the Lake City police. The metal was sold to John Hannon, a junk dealer.

In court this afternoon he stoutly maintained that he questioned the boys closely and was convinced that they came by the property honestly before he bought it. Under Sheriff George Appleby telephoned the Green Bay reformatory this afternoon and was given to understand that no agent would come after the quintette of young criminals on Monday.

PERSONAL MENTION.
I. F. Horton was a Milwaukee visitor yesterday.

Aloysius Norton was registered at a Milwaukee hotel yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Shawson departed yesterday for her former home in Tampa, Fla., where she will spend the winter.

Harry Goldsmith, formerly in the employ of the American Postage service at Chicago, is now head bill-poster for the Myers station in this city.

Mrs. Margaret Allen has been in for five weeks past at the home of her son, H. V. Allen, on St. Mary's avenue.

Mrs. Ralph Liddick of Edgerton underwent an operation at the Mercy hospital on Monday for a tubercular affection of the bone and her condition since is reported to have been quite satisfactory.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rager, Jr., and son went to Chicago this morning.

R. Batford of Milwaukee is visiting relatives in the city.

E. C. Grant went to Madison today on business.

W. H. Conrad went to Milton Junction this morning.

The Baptist Church is installing a new electric blower for their church organ.

John Fisher went to Deloit this morning on business.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION — OF THE —

BOWER CITY BANK

JANESVILLE, WIS.
At the close of business Dec. 3, 1907.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts.....\$444,303.80
Overdrafts.....1,262.73
Bonds.....1,455.00
Due from banks.....40,480.57
Exchange for clearing house.....4,194.17
Cash.....48,121.07
Total.....\$539,817.94

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in.....\$50,000.00
Surplus & undivided profits.....40,453.58
Deposits.....449,354.36
Total.....\$539,817.94

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Grand Secretary Not to Come: W. W. Perry of Milwaukee, Grand Secretary of the Masonic order of Wisconsin, who was expected to speak from the Presbyterian pulpit in this city tomorrow morning, has sent word to A. E. Matheson that he will not be here. Rev. J. W. Laidman is here and will preach, as usual.

F. A. M.: Special communication of Janesville Lodge No. 55, F. & A. M., at Masonic Temple next Monday evening. Work.

Christmas Sale of Millinery, Commencing Saturday, Dec. 14.
Mrs. C. A. O'Brien, 153 W. Milwaukee street, offers all trimmed hats and felt shapes at cost for balance of season. All of the best styles of this season's fashions.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION — OF THE —

MERCHANTS AND MECHANICS SAVINGS BANK

JANESVILLE, WISCONSIN.
At the close of business Dec. 3, 1907.

RESOURCES.
Loans and discounts.....\$633,267.07
Real estate mortgages.....206,630.38
Bonds.....417,420.00
Overdrafts.....1,207.01
Cash on hand and due from banks.....302,046.54
Total.....\$1,560,570.38

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in.....\$50,000.00
Surplus and profits.....150,650.51
Deposits.....1,360,919.87
Total.....\$1,560,570.38

We do a general banking business. Checking accounts, whether large or small, handled without charge.

3 per cent interest paid on deposits in Savings Department and on certificates of deposit.

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Clocks Candlesticks
Silverware Candelabra
Smoking Sets Cork Screens
Ash Trays Bottle Openers
Umbrellas Toilet Sets
Jewel Cases (all kinds)
Manicure Sets Shaving Cups
Rings

Early selections are always the best.

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THE ROCK COUNTY NATIONAL BANK

OF JANESVILLE, WIS.
Statement of condition at the close of business December 3, 1907.

ASSETS.
Loans and discounts.....\$438,850.93
Overdrafts.....15.29
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....75,000.00
Bonds to secure U. S. deposits.....55,800.00
Other bonds.....36,500.00

CASH RESOURCES.
Due from banks.....\$84,215.60
Due from U. S. Treasurer.....3,760.00
Cash.....168,038.29 246,004.89

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock.....\$100,000.00
Surplus fund.....60,000.00
Other undivided profits.....29,611.22
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Deposits.....647,559.89
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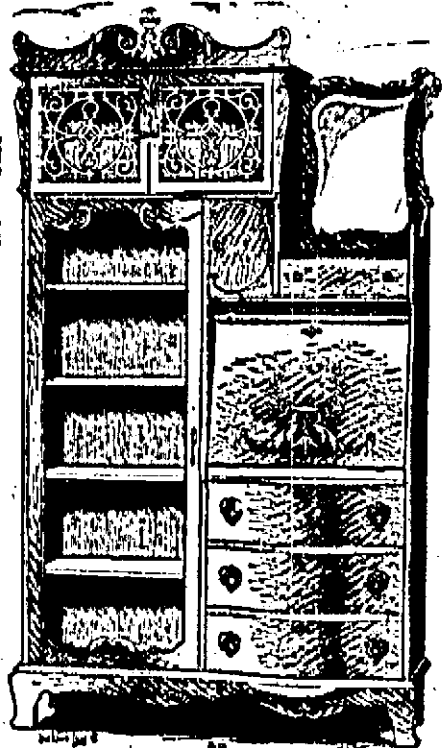
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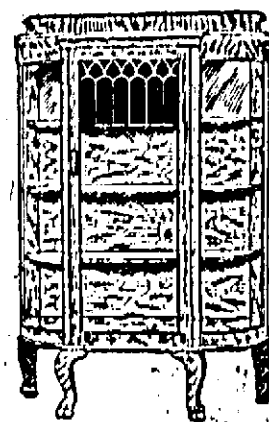
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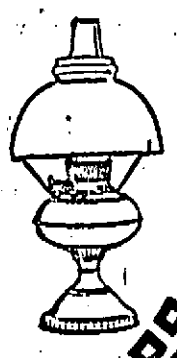
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OHIO TEMPERANCE AND CHURCH LEADER IS ARRESTED.

Mrs. Martha A. Campbell Accused of Conspiring with Her Neighbor to Burn Latter's Dwelling.

Norwalk, O., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Martha A. Campbell, president of the Women's Christian Temperance union, superintendent of the Congregational Sunday school at Stouenville, and wife of a wealthy Greenfield township farmer, was arrested Friday in Stouenville on a secret indictment charging incendiarism.

The indictment charges that Mrs. Campbell burned a dwelling owned by Miss Lora Mather, a neighbor, in October. Miss Mather also has been indicted.

The fire insurance company asserts the woman framed a plot by which Miss Mather was to take the insurance money to pay off the mortgage on her home, and on that condition Mrs. Campbell would buy the place. Both women are on bonds.

REPORT IN FAVOR OF DEUEL.

Referee Recommends Charges Against Jurist Be Quashed.

New York, Dec. 14.—In a report to the appellate division of the supreme court former Justice Martin L. Storer, as referee, recommended Friday that the charges against Justice Joseph M. Deuel be quashed. District Attorney Jerome and Robert J. Collier preferred the charges, contending that Mr. Deuel was unfit for his place on the bench of the court of special sessions.

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The Clothes-Pin Cure.

The old man had plowed six times around the six-acre field the next morning, singing and whistling his merrily time as he went, when Sefly unlimbered at the back and started the big bay around in the opposite direction. The first time they passed his father only winked mysteriously and continued to whistle. The next time he stopped.

"We won't go home till morning, hah, Sefly? I won't to myself, say—looks like something occurred after all, hah? No one don't stay till morning unless—"

Sefly was silent.

"That's right. Kiss but never tell. For telling breaks the spell. If you've had one and want another—kiss but shut your head up. Say—you don't want to be no anchor now, I expect, hah? Nobby you own one?"

But Sefly and the mare had disappointedly passed on.

"Well! Gee—wo—way—gee! Git along!" And he also made another furrow—in a less happy temper.

When they met again:

"Whoo!" roared the old man, and the mare stopped—trembling in her tracks. He laughed. Sefly still responded if Sefly did not.

"Sefly—Sefly, did anything occur?" Sefly faltered guiltily a moment.

"Yes," he said, then briefly, "something always occurs."

"Sefly—Sefly, but about the pasture—"

Sefly started the mare.

"Whoo!" roared the old man again, with the same result. But he did not laugh this time. He sat on the handles of his plow and regarded his son. He was vaguely disturbing.

"Sefly," he began ominously, "you didn't kiss at all?"

"Uh-huh," answered Sefly.

"What? Why, you durn—"

But then he laughed.

"Shiny hat no good?"

Sefly said no.

"Nor the diamond, nor the hair—"

groceries, nor nothing?—Oh—go—uh—mighty! Gee—wo—way!"

But before they met again, his gaiety had given way to an immense disappointment. The tragedy of the situation had prevailed with him, too. Sefly suddenly looked a cloud to pieces. His father looked off toward the coveted pasture and sighed. It was a superb piece of land. And it had never looked fairer. The sun was on its velvet green—the sun of the morning. A few thick-grained, wholesome oak trees punctuated it. A stream laughed through it. Goodly cows stood chewing in the water and swishing amiably at the flies. The fences were intact. It would have been a delight to the eyes of any farmer on earth. The old man sat on the handles of his plow until it all got in his head once more.

"It's a nice field, Sefly—Sefly," he sighed. "I never seen no such clover. And she's a nice gal. I never seen no such gal, boss nice. Ouch! they be long together. Well, gee—wo—way! They belong to us!"

They always stopped for a word when they met. The next time the old man yawned, quite carelessly.

"Come yore, Sefly!"

He patted one plow-handle, which Sefly took, while he took the other. He thoughtfully pulled the boy's shirt into place.

"Sefly," he said, "tell me about it. I'm sorry I laughed! I lost that pasture and you lose Sefly. Let's not be fools, but git 'em. I expect you feel a little bad. But nobby you'll feel better if you talk about it. That is the way wise me, I know; when anything occurs I like to gabble about it—and go and do it again—better." He let his hand rest kindly on Sefly's shoulder. To this his son responded.

"I fell asleep," said Sefly, smiling ominously.

"Of course," said his father, with a comforting movement of his hand. "That's right."

Sefly was amazed—and comforted.

"I expect I snored—"

"Er—yes, you do snore, Sefly. Every body does. It's the Lord's fault, I expect."

"In a nice cheer—"

"Yes—you oughtn't to set in no nice cheer, Sefly; something uneasy is better."

"Didn't wake up till daylight."

"Who was you then, Sefly?"

"In the cheer—Sefly's cheer."

The words struck pitifully in his throat.

"Yes—" said the old man, looking away. "I don't blame you, Sefly."

"It was a pastboard thing—like a tombstone—pinned on my bosom—"

"Vat!" cried his father—the "w"

would become "v" in cases of sudden emotion.

"Pastboard—tombstone!" Sefly's head dropped in shame. "With things printed on it—Stephen J. P. Baumgartner, Junior, Went to His Rest, June 10th, 1871, in the 20th year of his age. Gone! Not, But! Forget—read backwords!"

His father stifled a laugh. It was an old trick to him.

"What—what did you do then?" he asked in as matter-of-fact a voice as he could command.

"Sneaked home. It was daylight!"

"Gone not, but forget—read backwords, hah?"

He couldn't quite make it out. That was new. Sefly helped him.

"Forget, but not gone."

There was no restraint to his father's laughter now. After it had subsided he asked:

"What did you do with the tombstone?"

"Left it there."

"That's bad, Sefly. He'll put it up at the store and you ken never go there no more."

Sefly's look of horror was a reminder to his father that it would have been better not to say that. But Old Baumgartner had tremendous aplomb.

"Never mind—never mind. Nobby he won't sink of work," though he knew the store clerk would be certain to think of it.

Upon a sudden thought the old man leaped up.

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a clothes-pin when you set up wise hair—one of them was a spring—not? Ah—hah-hah! And then: "You all right, Sefly—yassir! you all right—the conquering hero come! Go right back—mobby to-night—you entitled to do it."

"Bogoshens, I will!" said Sefly in his father's own slogan.

Sefly would have pressed his suit even without this, I think—because of those moments in the dark parlor. One does not soon forget that sort of thing.

"Now," advised his father, "you know well enough what kind of a temper goes with her hair—I use to hat hair enough once—and it was red! All right when it's on your side. But hell when it's agin you. Them red-heads always regrets—I do and she does! Say—Sefly—Sefly, don't you let her regret in vain—ketch her while she's at it."

So, Sefly went up the hill again—not that night—which was a mistake—he could not quite bring himself to that—but the next. And he had washed the grease out of his hair and left the hat at home as well as the butterfly tie and the boots and, if I do say it, he was a very handsome fellow, worth at least a dozen of his rival.

(To be Continued.)

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Stock County in Probate.

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The application of A. J. Warner for the adjustment and allowance of his final account as administrator of the estate of Robert H. Warner, late of the town of Lima, in said county, deceased, and for the settlement of the said estate, and for such other purposes as are by law authorized thereto.

Dated December 6, 1907.

By the Court,
J. W. MALL, County Judge.

Edwin T. Carr, Atty., Watertown, Wis., advised.

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Dated November 20, 1907.

By the Court,
J. W. MALL, County Judge.

Nolan, Adams & Hooper, Attys., Janesville, Wis., advised.

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Chicago via Beloit—C. & N. W. Ry.—4:30, 4:55, 7:10, a. m.; 9:00, p. m. From Chicago via Beloit, 6:50, 12:35, 11:45, a. m.; 6:45, p. m.

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Madison, Edgerton, Stoughton and Points north and west—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—8:15, 10:35, 12:20, a. m.; 2:45, 6:55, 8:55, p. m. Returning, 7:05, 10:25, 12:30, a. m.; 4:55, 12:25, 6:45, p. m.

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Madison, Watertown and Waukesha—C. M. & St. P. Ry.—7:30, 10:35, a. m.; 4:30, 6:05, p. m. Returning, 10:10, 10:15, a. m.; 3:35, 6:45, 8:25, 9:55, p. m.

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